

Our Docket No: 42390P9878

Patent

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Examiner: Patel, Hetul. B.

Application No: 09/752,534

Art Unit: 2186

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For: A Mechanism For Efficiently  
Supporting the Full MESI (Modified,  
Exclusive, Shared, Invalid) Protocol  
In a Cache Coherent Multi-Node  
Shared Memory System

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(A)

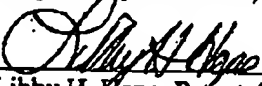
Sir:

Applicants respectfully request a One-month extension of time to file an  
Office Action Response. The extended period expires December 18, 2004.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0221  
and is requested to notify us of the same.

Respectfully submitted,

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